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10 December 1982MEMORANDUM FOR: [redacted]  
Director, FBIS

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FROM: [redacted]  
Chairman, HRC

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SUBJECT: Terrorism Translation Project

*John,*  
[redacted] tells me you and he discussed the proposed draft  
memo (2 December) on the terrorism translation project (copy attached).  
Let me make the following points:

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1. I thought the evaluation of the trial project had been completed with the IICT memorandum of 20 September 1982 (also attached), and subsequent discussion in IICT meetings at which FBIS was present.

2. While on the whole the outcome is positive, there is a need for a screening mechanism to make sure that FBIS is tasked to translate only useful material and not subjected to a great many capricious requests. The IICT should perform the screening function and is, indeed, making plans to do so.

3. I am quite content if the initiative to establish the project on a permanent basis comes from you rather than from here, and will await your action.

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Atts: (2) as stated

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